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VIA ECF

Honorable Cheryl L. Pollak
United States Magistrate Judge
Eastern District of New York
225 Cadman Plaza East
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: Stephen Burrowes v. City of New York, et al., 15-CV-5097 (ENV)(CLP)

Your Honor:

I am an Assistant Corporation Counsel in the office of Zachary W. Carter, Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, representing defendants City of New York and Andre Morris in the above-referenced matter. I am writing to respectfully request that Your Honor cancel the Settlement Conference which is currently scheduled for March 10, 2015 at 11:00 p.m.

At this time, the City of New York has decided not to make an offer on this matter. We do not believe a settlement conference would be productive and do not want to waste Your Honor's time. The City defendants respectfully propose that the parties continue with discovery. Should the City's position change, I will immediately advise the Court and plaintiff's counsel, Kenneth Womble.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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